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PEKING GUIDED MISSILE PLANT NANYUAN



STRATEGIC WEAPONS INDUSTRIAL FACILITIES

CHINA

JUNE 1970

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INSTALLATION OR ACTIVITY NAME

COUNTRY

Pei-ching Guided Missile Plant Nan-yuan

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UTM COORDINATES

GEOGRAPHIC COORDINATES

NA

39-47-52N 116-24-15E

MAP REFERENCE

AMS. China, Series L500, Sheet NJ50-2, 1st ed, Apr 62, scale 1:250,000 (UNCLASSIFIED)

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NEGATION DATE (if required)

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ABSTRACT

This report updates the basic report listed below which substantially satisfies existing reporting requirements for this target.

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Significant developments and changes since [] include the expansion of the test tower and some minor construction. A new type of probable missile rail car was observed in []

This report describes the new construction and includes a tabulation of observed railroad rolling stock, photographs, and a dimensional drawing of the test tower.

BASIC DESCRIPTION

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Peking Guided Missile Plant Nanyuan is located 7.5 nautical miles south of Peking, China (Figure 1). Only minor changes in the overall appearance of the guided missile plant were observed between []
Although some new construction has taken place, no major new facilities have been added. However, the test tower was significantly enlarged. In addition to the new construction, some of the nonpermanent structures previously reported have been torn down. These structures had been included in both roof cover and floorspace totals of the basic report and because of this, the new construction has not increased these totals for this report.

PHYSICAL FEATURES

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A warehouse has been added on the south side of the plant, and a new small probable shop building is under construction on the north side. A network of aboveground steamlines serving facilities on the east side of the plant has been added since [] The engine test building located in the extreme southeast corner of the plant was nearing completion in [] and by [] it was completed and fully operational.

TEST TOWER

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The most significant new development at the guided missile plant is the extensive enlargement of the test tower (Figure 2). It has been raised from its original height of approximately []

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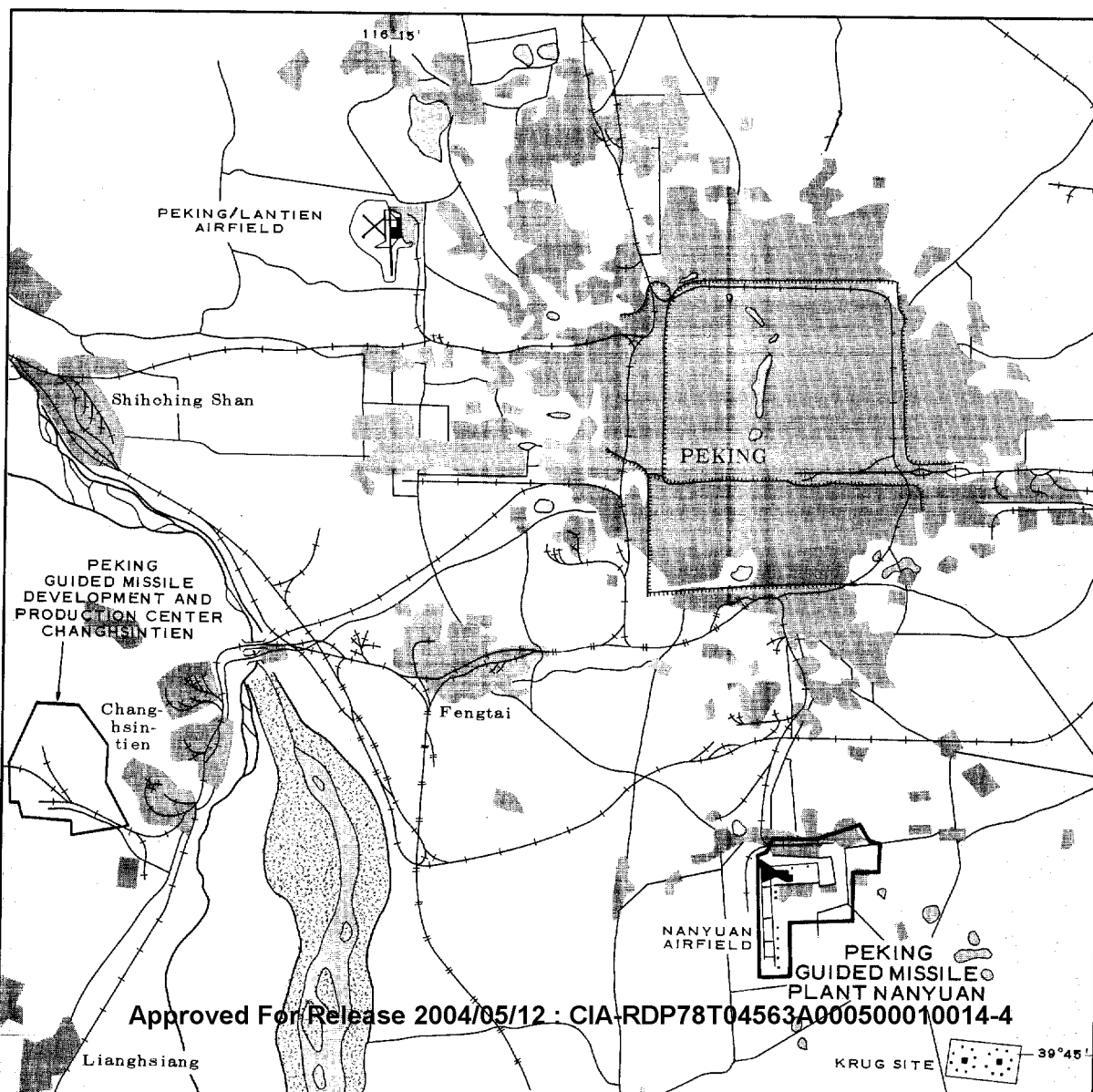
A comparison of the new dimensions for the test tower with the dimensions of the large gantry at Launch Complex B in Shuangchengtzu Missile Test Center, presented in a recent report,¹ reveals that the test tower and gantry are capable of handling the same size missile. The overall height of the gantry is approximately [REDACTED] as compared to approximately [REDACTED] for the test tower; the height of the crane/hoist above ground level for both the test tower and gantry is approximately [REDACTED]. The gantry has an unobstructed height of approximately [REDACTED] and the unobstructed height within the test tower is approximately [REDACTED]; the height of the door above ground level is approximately [REDACTED].

PRODUCTION ACTIVITY

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The overall activity at the guided missile plant increased sharply during the last half of [REDACTED] and it remained at a very high level throughout the calendar year of [REDACTED]. Production of a strategic missile system is still indicated on [REDACTED] photography of the plant; however, the present status of such a production program cannot be determined.



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